AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION PRIVATE PRACTICE PHYSICIANS SECTION

Late Resolution: 1
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Subject: Removing Health Insurance Influence in Government

Referred to: PPPS Late Resolution Committee
(, MD, Chair)

Whereas, giant private health insurers are focused on maximizing their profits, which is understandably the focus of many private companies; and

Whereas, various federal and state government agencies have been created to optimize public health and to regulate these giant insurers; and

Whereas, such government insurance and health agencies are now overrun with people who have strong ties to the health insurance companies and are primarily concerned with helping those companies and not the public at large; and

Whereas, optimal affordable care will remain elusive until all health insurance operatives are removed government; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that our American Medical Association will pursue, through legislation, regulation, executive orders, legal action, and/or public relations efforts, to remove people with ties to health insurance companies from state and federal government roles that involve health insurer regulation or healthcare policy (Directive to Take Action).

Fiscal Note: (Assigned by HOD)

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RELEVANT AMA POLICY

N/A